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Mongkons Telegraph.

January 9th, 1912, Tomperature s.m. 59, p.m. 62; Humidity...71, 50.

January 9th, 1911, Temperature a.m. 65, p.m., 65; Humidity ... 59, 58.

No. 8630 the Manchus to clear out. STOREKEEPER'S MURDER. Via Durban Jan. 9, 10:10 a.m. message from Router's corre spondent at Shanghai states that an Englishmen named Felga'e, an oxissionary, has been murdered by robbers at Mo-kan-shan, in Clie'i ang province, where he was e loyed as a storekeeper. MORE AMERICAN TROOPS. Durban, Jan. 9, 11.55 p.m. Reuter's correspondent a Washington says that the Government is sending five hundred

YUAN REPUDIATES TANG.

troops to assist in guarding the

railway at Peking and the coast.

Shanghai, Jan. 9.

H.E. Yuan Shih-kai does not recognise the agreement arrived between Tang Shao-yi and Dr. Ting-fang. He has telegraphed to Dr. Wa Ting-fang to withdraw the troops for the invasion of Peking and to reply to his proposal as to how to convene the National Congress.

HITCH AT SHANGHAI. The Consular Body at Shanghai refuses to recognise the new seal of the Republican Government at the Mixed Court,

Mint at Kam Ning has bogged Congress of Canada have submitted said she would not return to him. charges in the petition. I feel it and was treated as such. President Sun Yat-sen to decide to the Premier and Minister on the form of currency so as to Labour resolutions protosting against a wee'. He subsequently learn- a cheque for £200 and I will leave don't know the meaning of "Au enable him turn out coins suitable for oirculation, - "Shat

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TELEGRAMS.

THE REVOLUTION.

REVOLUTIONARY DEFEAT.

WEDNESDAY.

JANUARY 10

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TELEGRAMS.

ARGENTINE RAILWAYS.

GOVERNMENT ACTION.

[Service to the "Telegraph."]

Router's correspondent

Busnos Ayres says that the

Bombay, Jan. 0, 4.55 p.m.

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TELEGRAMS.

THE REVOLUTION.

GENEROUS OFFERS.

(Our Own Correspondent.) The revolutionaries at Imen Chow have been repulsed by the Shanghai, Jan. 10, 11 a.m. The republicans are making Imperialists. The former were generous offers in order to tempt short of ammunition.

A COMMAND DECLINED.

against the advances of troops in accept the post of the Commander-in-chief of the revolutionary forces at Chekiang.

REVOLUTIONARY SUCCESS

Cho Yuen in Shantung has Petition by Shanghai Solicitor. been captured by the revolutionaries.-"Shoung Po."

NAVAL WAR STAFF. Bucknill, Mr. John Currio Han-

INVASION IMPOSSIBLE.

[Service to the "Telegraph".] Via Durban, Jan. 9, 10,10 a.m. Lord Haldane, speaking at Edinburgh, said that the scientific scheme of defence had been evolved by the greatest military and naval minds in the country. They had made invasion, he said, impossible. naval war staff was the final step in the finest defence scheme in the world.

BATTLESHIP-CRUISER.

SUCCESSFUL TRIALS.

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Via Durban, Jan. 9, 10.10 a.m. The battleship-cruiser Lion went on her trials in the Channel during ampton on October 4, went on a storm yesterday, and attained a speed of thirty-one knots. (Reuter).

CANADIAN IMMIGRA-TION.

LABOUR PROTEST

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Via Durban, Jan. 9, 10.10 a.m. Router's Ottawa correspondent A CURRENCY QUESTION, states that the Executive Com-The Superintendent of the mittee of the Trades and Labour the relaxation of the immigration regulations, in view of permitting Atkins, a chanffeur, who was Perhaps in time the good I up with was the prompt reply. the entry of wives and children of tion we that the rie fe- may interest you to know I have him? No I didn't love him.

Minds solilors.

TELEGRAMS.

GERMAN ELECTIONS.

FIEROE EXCITEMENT.

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Durban, Jan. 9, 10.45 p.m.

Germany is seething with The Baptist pastor, named excitement over the elections and Richeson, who confessed to a all parties are using the ory that murder the other day and who it is a crime to abstain from said he wished to live in order Government of the Argentine has

feat Spoialism.—Reuter.

SENSATIONAL DIVORCE

SUIT.

In the Divorce Division on

Express") before Mr. Justice

son, formerly a solicitor prac-

siding in London, petitioned for a

decree dissolving his marriage

with his wife, Gladys Emma, and

John George Monerieff and Ernest

Counsel for the petitioners, Mr.

Atkins. The suit was defended.

Barnard, K.C., and Mr. Le Bas

For the respondent, Mr. F. F. Emery; for the co-respondent Monorios, Ma. Harris D.

ance of the respondent, who was

faction with the quiet country

life. He went to Southampton to

the neighbourhood there would

be more society for her. He was

returning he found his wife was

absent from home and also her

Counsel suggested it would be

made clear that the wife, as soon as

her husband had gone to South-

a motor-car tour with the co-res-

pondent Monerieff, her maid, and

another man. In April, 1910,

Mr. Hanson bought his wife a motor

at 32. Westminster-mansions, his

intention-being to stay there when

was in the motor car.

He took a flat in London

flat. In September, 1910, his wife his wife:---

sociations with Moncrieff and also will never hear of or see me again

with the other co-respondent, unless you wish.

seek a house, believing that

away for two or three days.

in August he made the acquaint- letter :-

friends had deserted her. Mr. past.

alleging, her misconduct with Anniversary of Blandford.

Hanson formed a very strong This drinking has evidently

affection for her. She was quite been going on a long time, and

young. They were married on you cannot expect me to live with

March 2, 1909, at the West- you unless you give it up. I think

minster Registry Office. They the best thing will be for us to

went to live at Exmouth. Ver/ remain separate for a bit and see

soon the wife, expressed dissatie- how things go on.

tising in Shanghai, and now

December 13 (says the "L. &

PASTOR'S CRIME.

TELEGRAMS.

DEATH SENTENCE,

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Durban, Jan. 10, 1.45 a.m.

Yuan Shih-kai has protested Lam Sut-hing has declined to the elections is the Pan-German help some other despairing soul strikers and will strictly enforce outburst of Anglophobia by thus to find favour with God, has means of which it is hoped to de- been sentenced to death. the law guaranteeing freedom of result. Reuter.

1910, giving the name of Mrs.

Gregory; and that Monorioff stay-

Entries in a Diary.

Monerieff, said counsel, kept a

liary which indicated that there

had been appointments. It would

be for him to explain the follow-

ng entries: June 29, 1910:

Hanson, July 14: X. Oct. 6

Hanson and Howell, Oct. 7

That, said counsel, was the an-

niversary of a motor-cur trip to

Blandford, when the wife "of the

other man," who was with Mon-

crieff appeared and there was a

scone, in consequence of which

any more of your cheques, and I

am sending you \$12 a week.

Even if you have no affection for

me or your mother, at least you

implore you to give up this ter-

rible habit. You have youth,

unusual beauty, many accom-

plishments, and no one can pos-

sibly make herself more agreeable

han you if you like. You would

be an ornament to any society

you care to go into. Why ruin

all this for habit -for this is

what it will lead to if not given

have regard for yourself, and

Oct. 26, 1910.

the party broke un;

ed in the same hotel.

drink. It was also alleged that choque. -Good-bye.

labour.—Router. her a considerable time on one spoke of to moin your last letter. occasion after she had returned Please let me have just one more home under the influence of chance by letting me have

Mrs. Hanson stayed at Sussex Hotel, Eastbourne, in Docamber, Co-respondent Atkins was unrepresented, and he was called upon to cross-examine the petitioner, but there was no response to the call of his name.

> Lucy Clay, who was in the service of Mrs. Hanson at Westminster-mansions, said Mrs. Hanson was visited about ton times by a tall man with one arm; she now knew him as the co-respondent Moncrieft, Mrs. Hanson addressed im as Jock, and he called her Eva. She also saw Atkins in her mistress's room once. She asked him to leave, and he said he would follow her out if she would go. Assoon as she was outside he shut

Mr. Barnard, in opening the Case, stated that the petitioner in After Mrs. Howell had informed In cross-examination by Mr March, 1908, came from China him of his wife's drinking habits tioned an occasion when there to this country for a holiday, and he wrote to her the following was great hilarity in the flat. She dressed and went downstairs to see the cause. Mr. Moncrieff had leading an irregular life. She . My dear Gladys, for you will, placed Mrs. Hanson's false hair on told him a story that she had run always be dear to me whatever the dog-(laughter)-and the away from home and that her you do, as I cannot forget the animal, which was "standing up," was barking.

the door and fastened it; 1

Was the false hair what ladies call "pin-curls"?—It was not. Was it a long plait of hair? Yes, a merry widow. (Laughter.)

You are taking me quite out of my depth. It was a long piece of I have paid off the overdraft hair, was it?-Yes, and a lot of and told the bank not to honour curls

On December 12 evidence was first given that a motoring party, including Mr. Hanson, a lady friend, and Mr. Monoriest had visited hotels at Eistbourne, Exeter, and Wareham.

the co-respondents, said she was petitioning for a divorce the grounds of her husband's alleged misconduct and cruelty. Receiving certain information, she searched har husband's office, and found a great number of letters from various women, in Reuter. cluding Mrs. Hanson, and a diary The petitioner said that when kept by Mr. Moncrieff, in which in town on business. The wife he wrote that letter he had no the names of Mrs. Hanson and then make excuses for living in suspicions of his wife's infidelity, her mother appeared. Some of London while her husband was at He paid debts, including her bank the entries were marked with home in the country. In view of overdraft, amounting to £500. crosses. She taxed her husband that he asked her mother. Mrs. Under date November 6, 1911, he about these, and suggested what Howell, to live with her at the received the following letter from the thought they meant. dissented, and said they only met with a motor accident near. Dear Jack, - I have heard to-day indicated occasions when he had

Reading. He at once came to from Messrs. Colver (the solicitor) had too much to drink. town from Exmouth to see her. that the case is likely to come on Mrs. Hanson then gave evid-She did not tell him Moncrieff this month. I have been ill; have ence, and denied emphatically had congestion of the lungs and that there was any ground The petitioner's case was that on the verge of a nervous break- for the allegations against Monoriest was at various times in down. My doctor advises a change her of misconduct. She adhered the flat with his wife; that she of climate and no worries. Now I to her statement that she first mot gave way to drink; and that when cannot face the ordeal and terrors Moncrieff at Exeter, and denied he learned from her mother of of the witness-box, although, that it was in Piccadilly. Monher babits and spoke to her she before God, I am innocent of the crieff was a mere acquaintance,

Next day he left the flat, permit- is impossible for me to remain in Is it your habit to write to an of ting his wife to remain there and this country while this thing is acquaintance or friend," making her an allowance of £10 goingon. I want you to let me have revoir, dear love, -Evie"?-I ed, through inquiries, of her as- the country immediately and you revoir. (Laughter.)

But why "love" 7-" To end driving her all - The allogo- ave in me will assert itself. It quently at the flot me. Wye with Inoher myself of the habit you The hearing was adjourned.

TELEGRAMS.

LABOUR TROUBLES.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNS.

[Service to the "Telegraph."] . Via Bombay, Jan. 9, 2.50 p m. 'After a five hours' sitting, the concotton employers and the operatives was adjourned without any Biological Laboratory Chief and

THREATENED LOCKOUT. In consequence of the strike of woolcombers at Bradford, the Em ployers Federation has threatened to look out twelve thousand people on the 10th inst. They also resolved that they were determined not to be provented from employing non-unionists.

"HANDS OFF."

Via Bembay, Jan. 9, 2.50 p.m. Sir G. Thomas, Chairman of the

Harold Smith the witness men at Cardiff, said that now the struggle with the miners was coming to a crisis, the employers wished to make is clear that outside intervention, even that of the Board of Trade was undesirabe. They said "Hands

MUCH CONCERN FELT.

Off, Busybodies."-(Reuter).

Durban, Jan. 9, 10.45 p.m. Much concern is felt over the

Mrs. Moncrieff, wife of one of hitch in the negotiations affecting on the cotton trade. The conference has been ad-

KING IN INDIA.

START FOR BOMBAY

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Via Bombay, Jan. 9, 2.50 p.m. Their Majesties have started for

Bombay, and were accorded a most hearty send-off by crowds of natives. second offence be punished by the Att Roplying to an addre w by the Benga Legislative Council, His Majesty

said he would never lorget the re-Was it because you loved coption by the patient multitudes. (Bouter).

TELEGRAMS.

MEDICAL CONGRESS.

PHILIPPINE DELEGATES.

[OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

Manila, Jan. 10, 9.35 a.m. Dr. Victor G. Heiser, Director ference between the Manchester of Health, Paul. C. Freer, Director of Science, Richard P. Strong, Plague Export, with Major Percy M. Ashburn, Captain Edward B. Vedder, and first dicutement Enruest R. Gentry, are the Philippine delegates to the Medical Congress at Hongicong, They are sailing on the Siberia on

FINANCIER'S DEATH.

LIVED LIKE A HERMIT.

[Service to the "Telegraph."] Vin Durban, Jan. 9, 10.10 a.m.

A City financier named Sofer

Whithwan has left setate walned £1,481,219. He lived the life of a hermit, and was unknown outside

the City. (Reuter).

CANTON NEWS.

[THE "TELEGRAPH" CORRESPONDENT.]

Canton, Jan. 6. On Jan: 6 a meeting of the Canton Provincial Council was held for the purpose of considering the question of the establishment of a National Congress as proposed by H.E. Yuan Shih-kai. The proposition was scouted from the very outset and the opinion. was freely expressed that it was only made to gain, time. It was unanimously decided to request the new President to ignore the proposal to cancel the negotiations in progress and to make preparations for the invasion of Peking with the least possible delay.

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Dr. Sun Yat-son in view of the change in the calendar and the initial inconvenience it will cause to Chinese merchants, has notified the Governor-General that settling day will be as heretofore. so for se this year is concerned viz, Joh 17,

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#### OUR CONTEMPORARIES

WHAT THEY THINK.

China Mail.

The Irish Question.

With the House of Lords more or less effectually muzzled and Mr. Lloyd George's Insurance Bill—a veritable bill of shreds and tattors salely through its parliamentary birth-pange, the stage is clear at Home for the long projected campaign in behalf of Home Rule for Ireland. By the strange irony of fate the English standard bearer of the proposed new measure is Winston Churchill, the clover and adroit son of that equally clever and astute politician, the late Lord Randolph Churchill, who was the author of the more or less famous cry, "If Ulster fights, Ulster will be right." From all appearances it would soom that Ulster is as keen on fighting Home Rule to day as she was a quarter of a century ago, and we are clearly in for some exciting times in the immedisto future. The situation, however, is vastly different to-day from what it was when Gladstone divided and disrupted a great party by his quixotic Irish propo-. sals. The distress and misery that was then universal throughout Ireland-with the exception of Ulster-is a thing of the past.

Daily Press.

The Hope for Peace. Unless they are assured of receiving treatment under the new regime equal to that which they have enjoyed under the old. Russia's task of assisting the Mongolians to maintain order in the territory will quickly lead to the permanent establishment of Russian rule. China, at the present time, is impotent to resist drawal of her troops from Mongolia. All her military and financial resources are needed south of Peking if hostilities are recommenthe deadlock in the negotiations for peace continues. There is no indication of any willingness on the part of the Revolutionary leaders to compromise on the question of the future government of the country; either the Government at Poking must yield to the demand for the abolition of the monarchy, or fight for its retention. So long, however, as the armies remain inactive, we may indulge the appethat the developments which are occurring such as the loss of Mongolia, the foreign occupation of the Peking railway, and the discussions as to the luture of Tibet-will influence: the restoration of peace and lead

South China Morning Post.

command the respect of the whole

A Virilo Navy.

The appointment of an addiof Admiralty, a man who will superintend the business operations of the Department free from all thought of politics or party, is a well-reasoned step and that economy has not been lost sight of is. shown by the intimation that the additional expenditure involved in the scheme will be met by the abolition of four Admiralty yachts, which at the best of times arounly of doubiful utility. There is a praiseworthy attempt, too, in the way of dispelling that almost timid reserve often associated with officialism. Free expression of considered opinion by all members of the Staff is to be heartily encouraged, and the spirit of co-operation to the common end the safety of the Lingure lossered with the scope of ready opportunity for individual suggestion. The theory of the whole scheme is capital, and provide ought to prove

THE BOOK WORLD.

(In this column will appear from time to time reviews of books and chat on books an writers.)

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Of these, the essays which will or in particular. probably most appeal to the average reader are "A Day with Villiam Morris"; Sir Harry Vano" "Some Dutch Notions and "Free Specele and Assemblage. " . The author is undoubtedly at his best in these, and, though one may as times feel disposed to quarrel with DINARY MEETING & SHAKE some of his tenets, yet, from the very daving of his logic, we feel compelled to admire the moral force of the writer. As an illic tration we may cité from the passage out page, 132 in the onery "Froe Speech and Assemblage ":—

Enough appears e o w w c to suggest the proposition that anarchy in the guise of law is no. less objectionable than anarchy days inclusive), as lag wild is find no outside the law."

This passage forms in effect a conclusion which the author warrants by premises of a like character wherein he questions the action of certain local authorities in an interference with the liberty of the subject which has solely for its foundation their belief that the interests of the community in general are in danger-hisargument being based upon the initial promise which is opened in the

words :of our fellow-citizens on the DIN 'RY MEETING of SHARE- Clark, J. night of November 12. To this HOLDERS in this Company will be Cuniac, Miss a greater wrong has since been held at the Company's Offices, Victo is Ounise, Mrs. added. This new wrong, widens Buildings, on THURSDAY, the 25th Dyer, J. M. its circles from them until it has Jamary, 1912, at 12 o'clook Noon Fancham, P. come to include every member for the purpose of receiving the Rep at Froment, G. of the commonwealth." and is of the Directors together with State- Gerecke, J. H. continued by an exposition of the ment of Account for the Yearsending Goldenberg, Mr. actual wrong complained of.

. The whole of this essay is toour mind admirable which, however, is more than we can say of its predecessor "Some Dutch Notions," wherein we think there appears much to which an unbiassed critic can take exception, for though the author was when he wrote obviously impressed with the urgency of the mission, wherewith he was imbued. and his language—in places somewhat forcible—may be excused on that ground, yet we feel THE dates of the ANNUAL RACE impelled to observe that he overlooks the potent fact that there the 18th, 14th are 15th February, Rabel, E. S. may be two sides to a question, 1912, and altered to one week later and in effect devotes himself to and the Race Meeting will be held on Aitkin, A. B. devising a series of pegs whereon TUESDAY 20th. THURSDAY, Arnold, W. to hang parts of his theme, which 22nd and FRIDAY, 23rd February, Brett; Mr. & Mrs. - Mrs. G. latter would be all the better if 1912, thereby coinciding with the the pegs-were not presented in so usual holid ys following the Chinese Bates, F. L. vivid a light. No doubt many New Year. can be found who would debate this point with vigour and plead in defence of it the object the 1912.
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With reference to one of the author's expressions of opinion ir the essay last montioned (namely on page 113) we would respectfully venture to differthough he certainly has in favour of his view not only the authority he refers to, but also so brilliant. a writer as Sir Edward Creasy, namely, the statement that: "The battle of Marathon settled that Europe was to be Greeinn and not Persian," as to which we would venture to remark that the avoid delay in obtaining the light. battle referred to would have been of small account, had it not been mit estimates for wiring houses on followed by the naval wictory at application Salamia which possessed the GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. greater merit in that the Greaks there provailed under ourgana- | weekeneg. 10th Dec. 1811.

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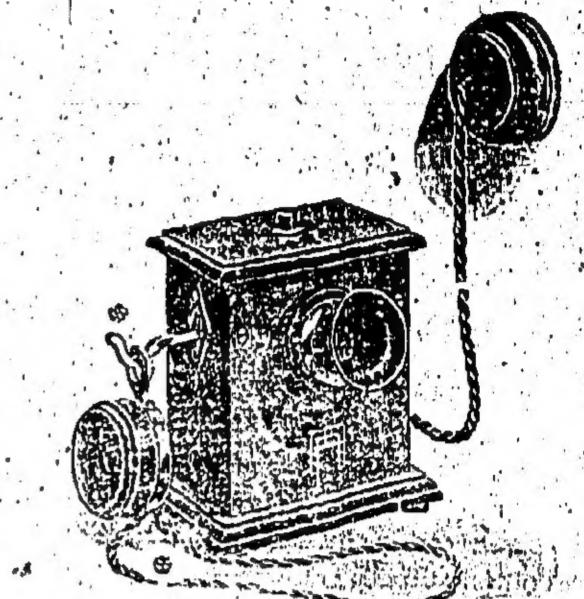
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### THE NAVY.

It was Disraeli who exclaimed bitterly "There never was a Churchill worth a ...," referring to the then Duke of Marlborough. That the Churchills have been mon of brilliant ability the pages of history show, but—there has always been a but. Mr. Winston the ship's cook, who captured Churchill, ex-Tory, joint discoverer with Mr. Lloyd George of the him before he had re ched the Dartmoor Shephord, and one of the Vituperators-in-Chief of the Liberal Party, has to win his spurs-il the expression be forgiven in relation to a marine chief -as First Lord of the Admiralty, and his accession to that responsible portfolio was regarded by many with that he was only removing the completed a tour of England on arrival at Kumchuk the and a lumb to the defendant. open suspicion. The most prejudiced critic must admit that he has made a very promising start. That things were not "all right" at the Admiralty had been the burden of Admiral Lord Charles Beres- metal under his clothing and was ments have appeared on the town the soldiers came across a the lamb and the goat had been ford's song for many years. Mr. Churchill's innovations suggest sent to gaol for three months. that Lord Charles had reason for the faith that was in him, and those who find in the Churchillian reforms a reflection upon the late First Lord, Mr. McKenna, scarcely draw an unwarrantable inference. Some light is moreover thrown upon the recent mysterious suppres. sion by Lord Charles Beresford of his volume of naval revelations, after advance copies were in the hands of the reviewers.

With characteristic audacity, the word is employed in no censorious sense, Mr. Churchill started his reforms at the fountain He asked for a remand, as he head. Obviously, to carry out a policy of sweeping reform, it was thought it very probable that essential to have Lords of the Admiralty who were not bound by he would be able to connect detradition to old custom, and when all that was necessary was to, set the hands of the clock a little forward Mr. Churchill was not the man to shrink from the responsibility. His action in this connection in this particular kind of robbery received commendation from political friend and political foe, as it was immediately realized that this was a preliminary step, neces sitated by a vigorous policy which was shortly to be put into oper- was granted. ation. Its first fruits are the changes announced in the memorandum the substance of which has been telegraphed to us by Reuter's Agency.

A telegraphic summary, however full, must necessarily be less this morning, with stealing an illuminating than the full text, but Mr. Churchill's main idea is alarm clock, a pair of shoes, three sufficiently evident. In the event of war it is obvious that a Naval silver watches and a chain valued War Staff would be necessary, but as things are there is no ma- at \$21-50, the property of Observatory at 1 a.m. to-day:chinery by which it could be brought into existence, and were a Fr. Aguesse, of New Nazareth. Cyclone or typhobn N.E. of Luzon Naval War Staff to be suddenly created after the storm had broken He was found guilty and senten-moving N or N.N.E. its usefulness, at least for some time, would be nigligible. Mr. ced to four months' imprisonment Churchill designs to have the machine running smoothly and in with hard labour. Churchill designs to have the machine running smoothly and in perfect adjustment so that when the demand is made upon it it will On a second charge of several been terminated but the defend-that is "Come and take it," been going on on the new wharf invariably adopted a misleading money.

The outset by the "Ostasiatisole been terminated but the defend-that is "Come and take it," Almost certainly the astate Yuan. wishes to have it constructed of the best possible materials and to October to January from New on the llongkong, side of the attitude and "backed the wrong money, so provide that the parts will not be allowed to rust. Whether the Nazarethin thenggregate amount- "Star" Ferry Company. On in- horse," in all three recent wars scheme, which beems so admirable upon paper, will work out satis- ing to \$48, he was also found quiries being made this morning, of which China has been the plaintiff and the defendant failing fession of weakness and will hold factorily in practice remains to be seen, but it must be assumed, as guilty and sentenced to four we wore informed that the work scene. There is much indignait has found favour with Service critics that, though no doubt sus- months' hard labour, the sentences was to have been completed last tion amongst local Gormans at given against him. coptible of improvement, it marks an appreciable advance in our to run concurrently. Constable August. It is, however, expected the attitude of their mouth piece Naval adminstration and justifies a doubt whother Lord Beacons. Patterson was responsible for that it will be finished in a la the Shanghai press in the field's seertion may not have been a trille too sweeping.

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### DAY BY DAY

Powerty many can endure with dignity. Success how few can rry off even with deceney, and without bearing their innormost infirmities before the public gaze.

### To-day's Paper.

In addition to the tolograms on page L there is to be found an interesting report of a divorce case in which the parties were residents in Shanghai. An in teresting review appears on page 3, and it is proposed to publish on Wednesday oach week on that page something of special interest to book-lovers. Page 8 is, as usual, devoted mainly to sport.

At the Magistracy this morning, coolie was sentenced to fourteen days imprisonment with hard labour, for having in his possess ston two page of lice of Inceds afternoon, of which he could not give a satisfactory explanation to the police.

At the Magistracy, this morning, sampan man named Chun Kun, was charged with being in possassion of 350 tacks of opium. The prosecution was at the instance of the Customs officials who capture | prisoner endeavouring to

Hongkong Jockey Club. An extraordinary general most ing of the Hongkong Jockey Club was held at the Hongkong Club Annexe at 12.30 p.m. to-day. A large number of members were present. The business transacted wis formal and of a purely privato nature.

#### The Tell-Tale Pig.

Had the little pig which Chang Choi was endeavouring to stea from its owner Chu-ng, at Mongkok village, last night, not pro- has been suspended and includes tested so vociferously, he might some of the most prominent have evaded the police and not been called upon to sorve six weeks in gaol with hard labour. However, so noisy did the pig become that the owner in going out of the hous, to see what was; the matter saw prisoner with it in a basket. She caught him, handed been suspended. The Equitable im over to the police, and at the

### Theft of Zinc.

Chow Hoi ondeavoured yesterday afternoon, to get away with a bar of zine from the deck of the PASTOR C. T. RUSSELL, Manila steamer Churruca, but in doing so did not take into account the watchfulness and alacrity of give any reason for secreting the

Alleged Attempt to Rob a Ship.

Detective Sergeant Willie, of Water Police, at Magistracy, this morning, charged one Lo Mun, a fisherman, with being a suspected person loitering in Victoria Harbour, at five oclock on the morning of the 9th inst. fondant and others with a robbery from a ship in port. The Police wereat present seriously concerned which was very prevalent. Many such attempts had been frustrated by the authorities. A remand

### The Theft at New Nazareth-

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BUSINESE CONTINUES. Stock Exchange transfers have Magistracy thismorning, he was cates of all its records and its business will continue undisturbed-Reutor.

Arrival in Hongkong.

Pasier C. T. Russell, the well

on the 10th.

journeys to India, Arabia and ments were looked upon as illegal.

The learing of counsel's argument in the action brought by Government against the Hongkong Tramway Co. was concluded yesterday infternoon, when the Chief Justice reserved

We have received a letter from "Observer," which, however, we cannot publish, as the writer has not observed the usual condition writer will forward his name and Typhoon Warning.

The following telegram was received by the American Con-

month's time.

### CANTON MISSIONARY ROBBED.

Handbag and Money Stol n.

A missionary doctor from Can- the privilege of nildressing the ton has been victimized by the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, Infality on the Peak Tramway on Colony's light-lingered gentry for the has tille in the venerable Shortly before noon, yesterday, the law courts, whise mission is acmissionary went to the Pharmay complished for all but a few days.

The case was a small one in point of importance, is that there purchases and left the handling which Tak Shing-hong, a mor-which he was carrying on the chant of 32 Banham Strand, sued was a thick fog at the time. The counter for a while. In the mean-time, four Chinese of the coolie class entered the shop and said and He Hok pang, a partner, for head-light, but the best light is that they wished to make some \$2,300.40 for goods sold and of little service in a log. We are minor purchases, such as tooth- delivered. powder, etc. The men created a Mr. Potter, instructed by Mesers, lot of fuss about the matter, and Willinson and Cirist, appeared who was on the look-out on the It compied a square, in the once they had got what they want for the plaintiff, and explained to tram, to whom of course no blame centre of the financial district ed no more attention was paid to which also included the Harriman been supplied, turned to the country, having been supplied, turned to the country became to proceed ex-parte against the frightened and has not been seen two defendants. office, and several safe deposit made the discovery that the hand- Evidence of the sale was given, since Sunday. The European vaults which contained millions bag had gone. So had the men, and judgment entered for the conductor was also very much The handbag contained safe and plaintiff with immediate executrunk koys, papers, etc.

> siting the Pharmacy, the mission- being arrested as an absconding unfortunate affair shows the ary called at Sincere's Store, debtor. whence, he says, he saw the men. Before the court rose His Lordfollow him. They observed him ship said :- Mr. Potter, there is the by-law forbidding trespassing pulling out a \$5 bill from a roll only a small number here, but of banknotes, amounting in all to this is the last time we shall sit in \$300, from his handbag, and this court, and it seems to me thereafter must have kept close we ought to take an affectionate on his tracks.

Police, who are investigating.

### BRITISH TROOPS! IN CANTON.

Governor-General's Proclamation.

Canton correspondent

Governor-General lias issued a proclamation informing the public of the arrival of foreign troops at the Shameer and explaining that there troops are there solely for the purpose of protecting the lives and proporties of foreigners. The Chinese soldiers and general public are ordered not to entertain any. ill

### FIGHT AT KUMCHUK.

Twelve People Killed.

Quite a sensational encounter Co., Shankiwan Road, who sued just come to hand.

On Saturday afternoon last a dant wharf and turned him over to the known American preacher, who number of rice boats were pro- Mr. P. W. Goldring appeared with the theft of the metal at the Hongkong, this morning by the by a company of soldiers in defended. Magistracy this morning, said s.s. Shinyo Maru. He has just launches bound for Canton, when Plaintiff said he sold a goat editor who could swallow that zinc so as to facilitate access to a where his addresses were listened launches put the soldiers off to ladder. He could not, however, to by remarkably large audiences, replenish stores and purchase is for the price of a goat: For some time past announce- food. During their tour of the walls of the town in connection number of fantan shops and took sold together and only the lamb with an address he is to deliver immediate steps to smash them had been paid for. up, since by the order of the From China. Pastor Russell Governor-General such establish. What do you mean by a lamb?

> lition a company of Kumchuk koug. revolutionary soldiers took exception to their interference, and mystery, said a she gott and a kid commenced to fire on the new were originally sold and the price comers. Firing proceeded on ingreed upon was his \$24 and both sides, resulting in eight only \$12 had been paid. people being killed-four revolu- In cross examination lie den'e. retreated, and two Chinese gun- born a week, bonts herring the firing arrived Mr. Grist, addressing the court on the scene. The combatants, on behalf of the defendant, said however, when the gunboats that \$12 had been paid and the launches and the rice boats pro. tiff when the latter applied for ceeded to Canton under protection admission to the police force. of the gunboats.

The "China Gazette" underattitude of hostility to the Chinese Republican Party adopted from present crisis.

# LAW COURTS.

The Chief Justice's Parowell.

-To-Mr-Istelon-Potter belonged

tion, Mr. Potter having explained It appears, that just prior to vi- that the defendant was in prison,

farewell of these venerable build-A report has been made to the ings. There have been many judgments delivered in this court; them at any rate-are apparently some good, some bad, some in- willing to swallow almost any various suitors. The judgments China just now. The "Daily The traditions of the court, which | the respectable house of Hulton, be, and in accordance with the lieve this: "A grave domestic writes as follows under date Bar, I can only hope that the Dynasty. The mother of the Bench. Bar and Solicitors will. carry on those traditions in the new building and foster them in

### SUPREME COURT.

the'r new surroundings. . .

Lamb or Kid?

Terminological looseness charfeeling towards the foreign troops. acterised a case heard by Persons circulating disquieting Paisne Judge, Mr. Justice poculiarly painful to the members rumours, the proclamation pro- Gomportze this morning at the of the Imperial House of Chiua. Life announces that it has dupli- ceeds, will be severely punished. Supreme Court, when the terms The lovers had, it seems, been goat, kid and lamb appeared to carrying ou a claudestine corcriminately.

The action was brought by the actual flight of the Princess Karm l'een, a watchman in the is said to have been in part due employ of the Asiatic Petroleum was fought on the West River Charg Deen, a jemadar of police, the Manchu llynasty was at hand. on Saturday, of which details have to recover \$12, the price of a goat | She and Yung are staying at "

watchman. Prisoner, charged is toming the world, arrived at coeding from Wuchow, guarded for the plaintiff and Mr. Grist

His Lordship: But the action

Mr. Goldring supposed that fare without protest.

Later he asked plaintiff :-His Lordship: I did not know Plaintiff, asked to elucidate the

Compradore's Security.

His Lordship ofter hearing furdefendant with oogts.

### THE PASSING OF THE NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Tramway Fatality.

There were some fac's in connection with the unfertunate informed that the man, a Chinese, upset by the accident and had to take sick leave for a day. The necessity of a rigid observence of on the Tramway Company's land.

"News" from Home.

The Home papers or some of different in the opinions of the kind of a yarn which comes from bad, but one thing is quite clear. Disputch," which is issued by have been fostered in this build- actually asks its readers to bebest English traditions of the disgrace has befullen the Manchu child-Emperor Pu Yi and wife of the Prince Regent, her Imperial Highness the Princess Lai, has oloped with an actor, YungShu-lu. It may be mentioned that actors and barbers rank with the lowest castes in Chinose society, so that the offair, oven in the midst of its political troubles; is respondence for some time, and to her impression that the end of sold and delivered to the defou- Mukden. Princess Lai is believed to have carried off with her drunonda and procious stones worther large fortune." The substory has a literary digostion which can assimilate any kind of

### Offers of What?

A telegram in to-day's issue. bears out the suggestion, made in Whilst carrying out this demo- there were any lambs in llong- a leader in yesterday's paper, that the Republicans are not in a position to face an advance with my grant hope of succos. They lick the sinews of war. It uppages now that they are making tionary soldiers and four civilians, that the kid was only a day old generous offers in order to tempt. The Canton men eventually when it was sold. It had been the Manchus to clear out. If all generous offers in order to tempt. stories nro time, they are unable to pay eash down; so that about. all they can offer are promiser. of enclosing his real name and arrived, were so intermixed that action was merely brought out of And the Throne is fairly certain address. We will, however, be it was considered inadvisable to spite because the defen bant had to fight a bit shy of promises. glad to publish the letter if the fire. The soldiers returned to the refused to recommend the plain. It has done a fair amount in that way itself, and is not likely to pat any greater value on other In the same court Lai Yet long, people's promises than it placed a trader, sued Leung Koon-sam, on its own. The latest move of stands that the Shanghai German another trader, to recover \$500 the Republicans is singularly like Association held a meeting re- the defendant by plaintiff as a laking the man in possession to security for his performance of leave what he holds and trust the the duties of compradore. The man outside to share it once he Mr. Lewis appeared for the will read the latest offer as a conto attend the court had judgment what he has all the tighter for it. Perhaps Yuan will not be so very tue evidence gave judgment for far wrong either, if he should adopt this view.

#### REPUBLIC TO POWERS

A Series of Promises.

for Foreign Affairs, was issued at were charged with unlawfully of the Manchu Dynasty in given Hongkong: Printing Press Co.,

render possible the entrance of Chipa, to the family of nations wo have fought and formed our prosecution and Mr. Lewis for government, and lest our good intentions should be misunderstrod we now publicly and unreservedly declare the following to be our promises :

All treaties entered into by the Manchu Government before the data, of the Revolution willish continually effective up to the time of their termination; but any and all ontered into after the commencement of the Revolution will be repudiated:

incurred by the Manchu Govern- the estimate. Witness did no! ment before the Revolution will show any concorn before pribe acknowledged without any soners, but quietly informed the alteration of terms; but all bank of the proposition. The payments' made to, and leans outcome of this was the arrest of incurred by the Manchu Govern- the prisoners one December 29.

before the Revolution will be per time and place. respected, but any and all granted after the commencement of the Revolution will be repudiated.

All persons and property of any foreign mation within the jurisdiction of the Republic of Reservoirs on January 1, 1911, China will be respected and CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER protected.

It will be our constant aim and Tytam ...... | blt. okin below overflow overflow overflow overflow stable and enduring foundation Tytam liver 191. sin. below stable and enduring foundation tytam inter- 191. sin. below the stable and enduring foundation tytam inter- 191. sin. below the stable and enduring foundation to the stable and enduring the stable and enduring foundation to the stable and enduring th a national structure compatible with the potentialities of our longneglected country.

We will strive to elevate our people; secure them in peace, and logislate for their prosperity.

To those Manchus who abid peacefully within the limits of our jurisdiction we will accord equality and give protection.

Wowill remodel our laws; revise our civil, criminal, commercial and mining codes; reform our finances; abolish restrictions to

> The cultivation of better relations with foreign peoples and governments will over be before us. It is our earnest hope that the foreign nations who have been steadfast in sympathy will bind more firmly the bonds of friendship, that they will bear in patience with us the period of trial confronting us in our reconstructive work, and that they will aid us in the consummation of the far-reaching plans which we are now about to undertake, and which they have so long and so vainly been urging upon the people of this our coun-

With this message of peace and goodwill the Republic of China of the civilization of the world.

despite denials of President Ma- form of violence. He further distress. A boat was sent to the From SAN FRANCISCO, HONO. dero, that General Bernado Reyes, declared that these outrages did rescue and the vessel proved to the revolutionary leader who was not in the least reflect on the be the ironclad. Admiral Larecently captured, is dying in his cause in the name of which they zaroff. Her crew consisted of prison cell. The Government were committed by misguided nine Germans, who were taken arrived. Consigned di Cargo are admits that General Reyes is ill. and ill balanced individuals, off and conveyed on board the

ber of the British Bar in Shang- colution of the problem. apon Mr. Douglas and himself.

### PAPER MONEY.

Two Chinese Committed.

A longthy manifesto, signed by At the Magistracy, withis Dr. Sun Yatsen and counter- morning, two men, named Chan signed by the Republican Minister Kwong lu and Tong: Shui-ting, Nanking on Jan. 5. The history attempting to obtain from the and the afflictions it is said to Ltd., twelve hundred banknotes have brought upon the Chinese is ned in the name of the Kwong people are detailed. The latter Yich Cheung Bank, of Swatow, portion of the manifesto reads :- without authority from, or even To remedy these evils and in the knowledge of the bank, on

Mr. Davidson appeared for the

Mr. Xavier, the manager of the printing blice, said that in May last he printed twenty-seven thousand one hundred notes of varying value for this particular bank and when prisoners came to him with the second order on the 13th ult. he became suspicious. He was asked by the first named prisoner to print twelve hundred big notes of different values and when he asked for a sponsor on behalf of the bank he brought along pri-All foreign loans or indomnities soner number two who chopped

ment after the commencement, of . The Magietrate committed prithe Revolution will be repudiated. soners for trial at the next Uri foreign nations or their nationals intimated that he would re-

### WATER RETURN.

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W. CHATHAM,
Water Authority
Public Works Department.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

[From Manila Papers.]

gress from the recent intolerable vessel of strange type, on the relations between capital and deck of which were visible several It is reported from Mexico City labour made possible almost any human being making signals of He was confident that the contest Swedish steamer. The ironclad now going on, in spite of the was left to the mercy of the A spirited colleguy between unfortunate excesses committed waves. One Swedish sailor was Sir Havilland de Sausmarez, and from time to time on both sides, lost during the work of resouc. Mr. Drummond, the senior mem- would in the end work out the

hai, on Jan: 5, led to His Lord- The press of the country has ship refusing to allow Mr. been discussing for several days Drummond to proceed. The an alleged insult offered to the trouble arose in connection with American flag by Samuel Comthe application of Mr. J. C. E. pere, president of the American Hall. Douglas for an injunction to l'ederation of Labour. The prorestrain his former partner, Mr minerice given the incident in the N. O. Home, from practising press and the public indignation in Shanghel. The injunction caused by the publication of the Lammort's Sales Rooms. was granted, but His lord- charge against the noted labour ship expressed the opinion leader have brought the matter that the case ought to have been to the attention of the governsettled out of court. Mr. Drum- ment and Major General Loonard mond, who appeared for Mr. Wood, chief of staff of the United Douglas, took this as a censure Stated army, is investigating the



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STRANGE SEA STORY.

- An ironclad of '07,

The Russian ironelad Admiral Lazareff, one of the oldest vessels of the Russian navy, having been built in 1867, was recently condemned to be sold and broken 'All concessions grarted to minal Sessions and Mr. Lewis up. The suction took place in the chief administration building the Monoliu Government serve his defence until the pro- of the Department of Construction and Supply on the 5th and 9th October (old style). Among other ships a German company purchased the Lazareff. According to the conditions of sale the company was obliged to break up the ship, making use only of her. materials, while to adapt the warship herself to any object was forbidden. The purchasors of the warship, according to the terms of the contract of purchase, were first of all obliged to destroy the machinery. Having done this purpose of receiving the Report of the Goods have left the Godowns, and all purchasers - propared vessel for dispatch to Stottin, December, 1911. where the final breaking-up was to take place. The Lazareff DAY, 20th January, to THURS- before the 20th icet., or they will not where the final breaking-up was was convoyed to Cronstadt and DAY, 25th Jenuary, 1942 (b.th days the German flug was raised on her Several days before there appeared at the Russian port the Gersteamers ! Hohenzollern and Moltke, which took the Lazarest in tow and departed. They passed the Bay of Finland safely and part of the Baltic, when suddenly a storm arose. The towing of the ironclad proved difficult, besides which something else quite unexpectod occurred. The accurate Germans, in the words of a Russian paper, . had not rightly (Tia Diamond) 792/93] estimated their coal supply, and whice have arrived here by the 8.8, in consequence of the additional "Arigonia" on the 17th December, work caused by the storm the 1911. The goods are now stored in supply fell short. Leaving the the Hon kour and Kowloon Whirf & DEVELOPING, PRINTING AND ironclad between the islands of Gottland and Holland, the German steamers set out to renew. Washington, January 2. their supplies of fuel. Two Louis D. Brandeis, the well days passed and the Moltke cherishes the hope of being admit- known attorney, discussing the and Hohenzollern, being deted into the family of nations not dynamite outrages, yesterday I yed by certain circumstances, HAMBURG-AMERICA LINIE. merely to share their rights and made the startling statement that did not return. At this time privileges, but also to co-operate they were not surprising in view the Swedish steamer Ediner Hongkong. 10th Jan. 1912 ... [12 with them in the great and noble of social conditions. Mr. Brandeis passed by the island of Holtask called for in the uphailding and that the struggle now goingon land, and her crew chanced for industrial liberty and for pro- to notice a half-foundered

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Cargo to be left on board or godown be finded and stored at consiguees risk and examination of same to be arranged and expense. the 21th fast, otherwise they will not be recognized.

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Directors, together with a Statement of C ods remaining undelivered after the "All claims against the steamer must

> All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowne, where they will be examined on the

18th inst., at 11 A.M. No Fire Insurance has vern effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

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Act of Piracy.

The Imperial Merchant Service Guild have oddrossed a strong letter of protest to the Foreign Office against the drustic methods of those in charge of the Liberian gunbont Lark, in boarding, at Cape Palmas, the British stoamer Zaria, of Liverpool, communded by their member Captain E. Riddick, which sayours of piracy on the high cons; The Zaria, on leaving Monrovia; was followed out of port by the Lark, which accompanied her to Grand Bassa; from Grand Bassa to Sinoo, and from thence to Capa Palmas. On the vessel ancharing at the latter port, S.S. Silesia " ...... Bid Feb a uniformed native representative of the Liberian Government -calling himself "Marshal of the High Sens"-came on board with an order for the arrest of Captain Riddick, and shortly afterwards the Commander of the Lark, with a bout's crew of coast natives armed with loaded revolvers, boarded the vessel and compelled Captain Riddick to go ashore with him. At the same time orders were given by the Commander of the Lark to shoot anyone who interfered. On arriving on shore Captain Riddick was compolled to sign a bond for \$1,000 to appear at Court when called upon, a trumpery chargo being" made against him for carrying deck passongers from Grand Coss on March 14, 1911, without paying a tax to the Liberian Govornment. On that date the Zaria was off the Coast of Spain and arrived in Liverpool three days later; therefore, it would be impossible for the steamer to be some 2,500 miles further South. After the Captain had signed the bond the Commander of the Lark proceeded to the Zaria and informed the Chief Officer that the vessel was released and could preceed on her voyage, and, at the same time, withdraw the armed crew who had taken. possession of the ship. Captain Riddick is of opinion that this was done in the hope that he would return to the vessel and forfeit his bond before proceeding on the voyage, At the time his arrost he requested the warrant to be read over to him, but apparently no such document could be found . Eventually a paper was produced which no person then present could read. There is no British Consul at Cape Palmas, in fact no protection whatever for those who command and officer British morchant ships. The Guild have expressed the opinion to the Foreign Office that immediate intervention on the part of the British Government is urgently necessary to prevent a recurrence of such nots of piracy being perpetrated on vessels flying the British flag.

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Leclaring before the Clerman Asiatic Society in Berlin on the present education system in Japan, Mr. Shigonobu Jikawa, editor of the monthly journal "Japan and China," pointed out the great strides which had been made in his country in regard to The triple serew stormer " SHINYO. MARU" will be despatched for Sin oducation. He went on lourge. and lowever, that the present number of schools does not meet the necessitios of the case. Particularly has there been noticeable in recent and technical schools, as also of trade and other special odicational institutions. There is also an touchers. In this latter connection, he pointed out that the Japanese Government yearly sends many trained men to Europe and America to pursue their studies, and 300 such Japanese who have passed through a university or other high sohnol in their own country are at pre-ent to be found in Germany.

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Trade in the Philippines. The following is from a Manila exchange :-

The gross Customs collections for the month of Docember, 1911 as compared with the corresponding month of 1910 show quite a big decrease for the ports of Manila, Iloilo and Cobu.

In 1910 the gross collections for December at Manila; was \$1,470,709.91 as against \$1,-055,717.05 of this year, decrease of \$414,992.88. For the port of Iloilo the decrease is very slight. Gross collections in 1910 were \$130,084.64 compared with \$120,298.50 for this year, a decrease of but \$786.14 Cebu, however, took a big drop. in December, 1910, the gross collections at that port amounted to \$172,341.45 while this year only \$70,253.00 was taken in a decrease of \$102,088.40.

Collections for the smaller ports of the Philippines had not been received yesterday at the Bureau of Customs, but it is presumed that they also will show a decrease.

Statistical information from Brazil as to the movement of rubber during the first nine months of 1911 shows, although rubber exported has increased a little, its value has fallen off by £8,333,000, or 45 per cont. This loss has been about recouped by the higher price of coses.

It is reported that the directors of the Seromban Rubber Estate Co., Ltd. (incorporated) in England), have declared a fur- GRAVING DOUK ther interim dividend of 10 per 7871 by 88ft; by 84ft. 6 in cent. for last year, payable on Pumps empty Dock in January 16 to shareholders regis- 2 3-4 hours. tered at the close of business on January 6.

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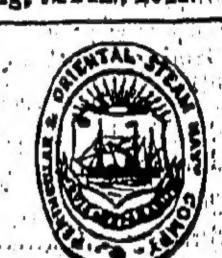
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### Donotes home Club,

THE OPTIMIST.

It is very hard these days for the pessimist to be a pessimist. He really scarcely has a chance. Every man's hand is against him. Nagasaki, Koba and Yokohama,—Per Doi, Mr. and Mrs. thing. He does not get a show. It is impossible for a men of Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per Ehrenfels, Mr. and Sligh, Mrs. V. C. against this furious inculcation of Shanghai, Robs and Moji-Per Namoptimism. Even the halfand-halfers are crowded out into the pitiless ewigkeit: Everybody is hounding on everybody else to do the sticking- |. out chest trick. Here is a Christmas number essayist on the subject: "You may think it is not | easy to be an optimist. It is easy because it simply means being natural. All you have to do is to be an optimist. Stop-reading I this article a moment and smile. Now throw your chestout and look upwards at the ceiling." This, we hold, is all to the good, and one of our correspondents who is making a despairing effort to preserve his possimism, must expect no help from us. that, in his heart of hearts, he does recken on our sid. He is a beaten man, and, as we read! between the lines of his truculent ly sanguine communication, we know that he is having a full two-penn'orth of Moscow, put across him. He is about to meet Singapore, Penang and Calcutta—Per Bellerophon, Ernest Simons, Eliachi ing a "Pessimists' Protection Society." Brave words. But words merely. Before the end of the year his chest will be clongated outwards until it bursts the confines of his Cardigan waistcoat; his beaming eye will fix the ceiling with a happy stare. He will become an optimist. But it takes a super-optimist to hope

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nowadays. The "Globe."

### POST OFFICE.

cards are transmissible by the Siberian may be expected here on the 12th inst., Arratoon Apear, Br. s.s., 2,931, P.

The Parcel Post system to the following places in China is for the present suspended :- Hupch, Szechum, Hunan, Kucichow and Tengyuch.

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20 Swatow, Amoy and Foodhow-Per Haitan, 11th Jan., 9 a.m. Swatow, Amoy and Tamani-Per Baron Balfour, for Calcutta,

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> EUROPE, &c., INDIA VIA TUTICURIN-(Late Letters. 11.00 a.m. Extra Postage 10 cents.) (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first Clearance will be included in this contract mail -Per Caledonien,

Jan., 11 A.M. Batavis, Cheriban, Samarang, and Sonrabiya-Per Tjibodas, Colman, C. 16th Jan., 11 A.M. Singapore, Penang and Colombo Per Delbourgo, I.

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### SHIPPING NEWS.

The H. A. L. s.s. Dortmund left Only fully prepaid letters, and post- Shanghai on the 8th inst., p.m., and

> ARRIVALS Ger. s.s., 1,275, A. Roscher, Capri, 9th Jan .- Pongah (Gr. Notuna) Ist Jan., Timber.-B.

Shinyo Maru, Jap. s.s., 7,228, H. S. Smith, 10th Jan -- San Francisco. 18th Dec., Flour, provisions and Gen.-T. K. R. Doore Castle, Br. s.s., 2,655, E. A. Gough, 10th Jan .- Japan

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OLEARANCES AT THE HAR-BOUR OFFICE. Yatshing, for Valen La. Tjipanna, for Milke. Tungwith, for Canton. -Sunking; for line hong. Wanila (taking Mail for Ochu and Hoile) Ajax, for Yokohama.

—Per Yuonsang, 13th Jan; Changehow, for Swatow. Donbigshire, for Autworp.

### DEPARTED.

Prinz Ludwig, for Hamburg. Quarta, for Ssigon. Changehow, for Shanghai. Chiyuen, for Canton. Tong Wah, for Canton Empire, for Sydney. Yatshing, for Calm tar Japan, for Moji. Soshu-maru, for Anping. Daigi-maru, 14th Jan , 9 A.M. Suicheing, for Qwangchowsan. lipanas, for Anping.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED. Per s.s. Mathilde, arrived 10th Jan., from Haiphong, &c. :-

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12th Doc .- Carmarthenshire, Jeserio, the time fixed for departure Malta, Tang Maru. 19th Dec.-Amof the mail Extra Postege bria, Bendoran, Himalaya, Oanfa, Soin all the Piller Boxes in time for the first clearance Maru, Erroll, Goeben, Prinzess Alice. will be included in this con- Sachsen, Sydney, Protesilaus, Seneca. tract mail.) The Parcel 29th Dec .- Achilles, Antocor, Coylon, Mail will be closed on Friday, Plintshire, Clamorganshire, Kamo Maru, 19th Jan., at 5 p.m.—Per Karonga, Namur, Nile, Patrocha, Spezie, Thesous, Tourane, Vandalis, Baron Manile, Mangarin, Iloilo, and Cebu- Fairlie, Freienfels. 2nd Jan - Derff-Per Rubi, 20th Jan , 8 r.m. linger, Lacrtes, 5th Jan .- Bengloo, F oksang, 29rd Jan., 11,4 M. Marn, Roon, Vormants, Rhosas, 9th Jan .- Aki Maru, Glenlochy, Katuna, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Robe, Lonnox, Slavonia, Teldo, Kina, Preus-

> Arrival at Home-12th Dec. Braemar. 13th Dec. Dambes, Senegambia. 28rd Dec - Anatri, Bayern, St. Patriot, Nelo 14, 29th Dec Buyo Maru, Atsute Maru, Ospie, Princere Alice. 2nd Jan Nereus, Alcinous, 5th Jan. - Sachsen, Toursass,

### ESSELS IN PORT.

#### STEAMERS.

H. Hudson, 8th Jan .- Moji 3rd Jan., Coal and Gen .-D. S. & Co.

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Beetham, 5th Jan. Vancourer 14th Dec., and Shanghai 2nd Jan., Mails and Gen. -0. P. R. Co.

Finnie, Br. s.s., 838, T. A. Kyle, 7th Jan:-Cebu Srd Jan., Gon -Chinese.

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> Uniching, Br. s.s., 1,263, W. C. Pass more, 8th Jan .- Swatow 8th Jan., Gen .- D. L. & Co.

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4th Jan .- Saigon 80th Dec. Gen .- Wo Fat Sing. Locksun, Ger. s.s., 1,020, W. Tombert,

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